## **Broccoli Cheese Bites**



## **Nutrition Information:**

17g carbohydrates 134 calories 4g fiber 4g fat 2g saturated fat 9g protein 39mg cholesterol 228mg sodium

## Ingredients:

Cooking spray

2 heads broccoli, trimmed

1 egg

1 egg white

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup reduced-fat shredded cheddar

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup bread crumbs

½ cup onion chopped

1/8 tsp. ground black pepper

## Directions:

- 1. Preheat the oven 400° F. Coat one baking sheet with cooking spray.
- 2. Steam the broccoli for approximately 10 to 12 minutes until soft. Set aside to cool (for about 10 minutes).
- 3. Add the broccoli and remaining ingredients to a blender or food processor and pulse to combine. (Do not overmix; the mixture should be slightly chunky, not a paste.) Let the mixture rest for 10 minutes.
- 4. After 10 minutes, stir it and drop by tablespoons onto the prepared baking sheet.
- 5. Lightly spray the top of each ball with cooking spray and bake for 15 minutes. Tum the pieces over and bake an additional 10 minutes, or until golden brown.

Chef Tip: Serve these broccoli bites with your favorite Greek yogurt dip.